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Original amendment submission date	Date of final publication	Citation/description
April 29, 1994	June 27, 1995	KRS 42.470(1)(c); 132; 136; 138; 139; 177.977; 211.390(1), .392(1), (2), (5), (6), (8); 350.010 (1), (2), (9), (16), (22), (23), .0285, .0301(1), (4), .0305, .032(2), (4), .070(1), .085(1), (7), .095(1), (2), .421, (1), (2), .560(1); 351.070(13), (14); 352.420(3).
August 2, 1994	December 7, 1995	405 KAR 16:010 §§ 1, 6, 7, 8; 18:010 §§ 4, 5, 6.
August 15, 1996	August 29, 1997	KRS 350.131(3), 350.150(1), Chapter 350 Section 3, KRS 350.0301(1), 350.990(1).
November 3, 1997	July 31, 1998	Staffing and budget levels.
June 28, 1991 April 23, 1998	August 4, 1998 May 10, 2000	405 KAR 16:200 § 1(7)(b) and 18:200 § 1(7)(b). KRS 350.060(16) [partial approval]; 350.131(2); 350.139(1); 350.990 (1), (3), (4), (9), and (11).
May 9, 2000	June 20, 2001	House Bill 599, subsection (1).
May 4, 1999	December 26, 2001	KAR 10:010 Sections 2(2), 5(1), 5(2) and bond forms SME-42(6/99 ed.) and SME-42-F(6/99 ed.)
December 22, 1998	February 5, 2002	405 KAR 7:097 approved (in-kind reclamation)
May 9, 2000	April 30, 2002	House Bill 502, Part IX, Subsection 36(b), KRS 350.085(6).
January 25, 2001	May 7, 2002	405 KAR 18:210, Sections 1(4), 2(2), and 3(4). 405 KAR 20:060 § 3(3)(b) 2000 and (c).
January 28, 2000 April 25, 2002	November 6, 2002	2002 HB 809, Kentucky Revised Statutes at Chapter 350.
May 9, 2000	January 16, 2003	House Bill 792, KRS 350.445(3) (except for a portion of (3)(g)).
June 25, 2002	May 8, 2003	KAR 16:090 Sections 1(1), (2), 4, 5(2) and (6) and 18:090 Sections 1(1), (2), 4, 5(2) and (6).
July 30, 1997	July 17, 2003	405 KAR 8:001 section 1(50); 16:001 section 1(50), (51), (69); 16:090 sections 1 through 5; 16:100 section 1(1),(3),(5),(6),(10), section 2(1); 16:160 section 1(1),(2),(3), section 2(2), section 3(1),(3), section 4; 18:001 section 1(52), (53), (72); 18:090 sections 1 through 5; 18:100 section 1(1),(3),(5),(6),(10), section 2(1); and 18:160 section 1(1),(2),(3), section 2(2), section 3(1),(3) and section (4).
July 30, 1997	August 11, 2004	405 KAR 8:001 Section 1(3), (20), (24), (46), (60), (65), (69), (86) and (108), Section 2(1) and (2); 405 KAR 8:030 Section 3(3)(d)1, Section 11(2)(a), Section 12(4)(a) and (b), Section 13(1)(b) and (3), Section 14(5), Section 15(5), Section 16, Section 20(3), Section 23(1)(g), Section 24(4)(e), Section 26(3), Section 27(2)(e), Section 32(3)(e), Section 34, Section 37(1)(b), Section 38(1) and (2); 405 KAR 8:040 Section 3(3)(d)1, Section 11(2)(a) and (4)(a), (b), Section 13(1)(b)2 and (3), Section 14(5), Section 15(5), Section 16, Section 20(3), Section 26, Section 32(1)(b)5 and (3)(e), Section 34, Section 37(1)(b), Section 39(1) and (2); 405 KAR 16:001 Section 1(3), (32), (46), (53), (63) deleted, (81), (98), (99), (108), Section 2(1) and (2), 405 KAR 16:060 Section (4), (53), (63), (49), (55), (61), (62)—deleted, (67), (68), (84), (100), (109), Section 2(1) and (2); 405 KAR 18:060 Section 1(4)(b), Section 2(2), Section 4(1), Section 12(1)(a), (b), (2)(a)—(e); 405 KAR 18:060 Section 1(4)(b), Section 2(2), Section 4(1), Section 1(3), Section 3, Section 4 and Section 1(1), (2) and (3), Section (1) and (3), Section 3, Section 4 and Section 5.
May 14, 2004	December 20, 2004	KRS 350.280, subsections (1) (b), (1) (c), 1(e), 1(f), (2), (3), (4); subsections 4(a)-(d), (5), (6), (7) and (8) are deleted.
June 28, 1991 with record material submitted July 29,	May 3, 2005	405 KAR 16:200 Section 1(7)(a) and (7)(d) and 405 KAR 18:200 Section 1 (7)(a) and (7)(d).
2004.		
March 28, 2006	September 18, 2006	Easements of necessity, deletion of outdated language in KRS Chapter 350.

(b) The Director is deferring his decision on the enforcement provisions of section 720 of the Act from its effective date (October 24, 1992), to the effective date of KRS 350.421(1) and (2) (July 15, 1994).

[62 FR 9942, Mar. 5, 1997]

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### §917.16 Required regulatory program amendments.

- (a)-(b) [Reserved]
- (c) Pursuant to 30 CFR 732.17, Kentucky is required, prior to implementation of the following statutory amendments, to submit to the Director proposed regulations to implement the amendments, and to receive the Director's approval of the regulations:
  - (1)–(3) [Reserved]
- (d) Pursuant to 30 CFR 732.17, Kentucky is required to submit for OSM's approval the following proposed amendments by the dates specified:

- (1)-(4) [Reserved]
- (5) By January 30, 1991, Kentucky shall submit a proposed amendment to 405 KAR 20.060 section 3(3)(b) or otherwise propose to amend its program to clarify that the total volume of flow from the proposed permit area, during every season of the year, will not vary in a way that adversely affects the ecology of any surface water or any existing or planned use of surface or ground water; and to require the appropriate state environmental agency to approve the plan.
- (e) By March 23, 1992, Kentucky shall amend its rules at 405 KAR 8:010 section 13(4)(c) to include violations of Federal regulatory programs and other State regulatory programs, not just violations of KRS chapter 350 and regulations adopted pursuant thereto.

(f)-(g) [Reserved]

- (h) By June 14, 1993, Kentucky shall amend its rules at 405 KAR 8:010 section 20(6)(h) by including OSM as one of the parties to be notified of the cabinet's decision to approve or deny the application for an operator change and to require that the regulatory authority be notified when the approved change is consummated.
  - (i)–(m) [Reserved]
- (n) By October 5, 1998, Kentucky shall amend the Kentucky program, or provide a written description of an amendment together with a timetable for enactment which is consistent with established administrative or legislative procedures in the State, to delete the term "haul roads" at sections 1(7)(b) of 405 KAR 16:200 and 18:200.
  - (o) [Reserved]

[50 FR 23687, June 5, 1985]

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# § 917.17 State regulatory program amendments not approved.

- (a) The amendment to Kentucky's regulations at 405 KAR 16:060 Section 8(4)(c); 18:060 Section 12(4)(c) and 18:210 Section 3(5)(c) which were originally submitted by Kentucky on July 30, 1997 and later amended are disapproved.
- (b) The amendment at Kentucky Revised Statute 350.060(22) submitted by

Kentucky on May 26, 1982, and the legal opinion (insofar as it relates to this amendment) and Reclamation Advisory Memorandum No. 33 submitted by Kentucky on October 28, 1983, are hereby disapproved effective September 17, 1985.

- (c) The amendment to Kentucky's program transferring \$3,840,000 from the Kentucky Bond Pool Fund to the Commonwealth's General Fund for the 2002–2003 fiscal year is not approved.
- (d) The addition of the word "abated" to modify the term "violation" in paragraph (4)(a) of section 3 of Chapter 7:090 of Title 405 of the Kentucky Administrative Regulations, as submitted to OSMRE by letter dated April 27, 1988, is hereby disapproved. The effect of the disapproval is to continue the requirement that any person who chooses not to contest the fact of violation (whether abated or not) or the assessment shall pay the assessment in full within 30 days of the date the final assessment order was mailed.

[49 FR 50720, Dec. 31, 1984, as amended at 50 FR 37659, Sept. 17, 1985; 51 FR 29919, Aug. 21, 1986; 53 FR 39261, Oct. 6, 1988; 53 FR 39473, Oct. 7, 1988; 63 FR 40827, July 31, 1998; 69 FR 26503, May 13, 2004; 69 FR 48787, Aug. 11, 2004; 70 FR 11123, Mar. 8, 2005]

### §917.20 Approval of the Kentucky abandoned mine reclamation plan.

The Kentucky Abandoned Mine Reclamation Plan as submitted on June 4, 1981, is approved. Copies of the approved program are available at the following locations:

- (a) Office of Surface Mining Reclamation and Enforcement, Lexington Field Office, 2675 Regency Road, Lexington, Kentucky 40503–2922.
- (b) Commonwealth of Kentucky, Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet, Division of Abandoned Lands, 618 Teton Trail, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601.

[59 FR 17929, Apr. 15, 1994; 59 FR 27239, May 26, 1994]

## § 917.21 Approval of Kentucky abandoned mine land reclamation plan amendments.

(a) The Kentucky Amendment, submitted to OSM on December 8, 1982, is approved. You may receive a copy from: